

**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE  
PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME  
FROM THE OFFICE ACTION**

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Applicant : Dah-Ben Liang Confirmation No. 7809  
Application No. : 09/637,764  
Filed : August 10, 2000  
Title : ROCK BIT WITH HARD-FACING MATERIAL INCORPORATING  
SPHERICAL CAST CARBIDE PARTICLES  
  
Grp./Div. : 3672  
Examiner : NEUDER, William P.  
  
Docket No. : 36912/S61

Commissioner for Patents Post Office Box 7068  
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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 March 3, 2011

Commissioner:

Applicant petitions the Commissioner to extend the time for response to the Office action dated September 3, 2010 for three months from December 3, 2010 to March 3, 2011.

The fee for extension of time required by 37 CFR § 1.17 is calculated below.

FEE CALCULATION			
LENGTH OF EXTENSION	SMALL ENTITY	LARGE ENTITY	FEE
WITHIN FIRST MONTH	\$ 65.00	\$ 130.00	\$
WITHIN SECOND MONTH	\$ 245.00	\$ 490.00	\$
WITHIN THIRD MONTH	\$ 555.00	\$1,110.00	<b>\$1,110.00</b>
WITHIN FOURTH MONTH	\$ 865.00	\$1,730.00	\$
WITHIN FIFTH MONTH	\$1,175.00	\$2,350.00	\$

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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required by this paper to Deposit Account No. 03-1728. Please show our docket number with any charge or credit to our Deposit Account.

Respectfully submitted,

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